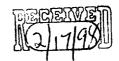


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Food and Drug Administration Office of Special Nutritionals (HFS-450) Center for Food Safety and Applied Nutrition 200 C Street, SW Washington, DC 20204



Dear Sirs:

Notice is hereby given pursuant to the requirements of section 403(r)(6) (21 U.S.C. 343(r)(6)) of the Federal Food, Drug, and Cosmetic Act and in accordance with the requirements of 21 CFR 101.93, that Rexall Sundown, Inc. located at 851 Broken Sound Parkway, N.W., Boca Raton, Florida 33487 will be marketing a dietary supplement under the Rexall brand name bearing the following statement(s) on the label and/or in the labeling:

<u>Ginkgo Biloba</u>: Ginkgo Biloba is one of the world's oldest living trees and has been cultivated throughout the world. Its distinctive fan-shaped leaves are useful in promoting oxygenation and blood flow in the brain, thereby enhancing brain function and alertness.

The undersigned certifies that the information contained in this notice is complete and accurate and that Rexall Sundown, Inc. has substantiation that the statement is truthful and not misleading. Pursuant to § 101.93 (a)(1), two copies of this notification are enclosed.

Sincerely,

Deborah Shur Trinker

Director of Regulatory Affairs

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and Corporate Counsel

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